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## Notices of Firms.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. E. H. M. HUNTINGTON has been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong, China and elsewhere, from 1st January, 1885.

RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1104

**NOTICE.**  
THE BUSINESS of the Firm of A. A. DE MELLO & Co. at Macao, will be CONTINUED as heretofore, under the MANAGEMENT of Mr. F. A. DA CRUZ, who is again duly authorised to SIGN the Firm's Petition.

For A. A. DE MELLO & Co.,  
Baronessa DE CERCAI,  
Administratrix of the late  
Baron DE CERCAI's Estate.  
Macao, the 9th July, 1885. 1102

## Intimations.

**NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Headquarters of the Company on MONDAY, the 2nd of August, 1885, at 2.30 p.m., when the following Special Resolution will be proposed:—

'That Clause 44 of the Articles of Association be altered by striking out the date 1885, and by substituting therefor the date 1886.'

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
J. KENNARD DAVIS,  
Secretary.

Shanghai, 1st July, 1885. 1106

## HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, 14th August, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1885.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 3rd to the 7th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 21, 1885. 1225

**IN THE Matter of the Estate of SIR HARRY SMITH, late of Hongkong, Knight Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, lately Her Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Emperor of China, deceased.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of the said Sir Harry Smith, who died in Peking, in the Empire of China, on the 2nd day of March, 1885, and Letters of Administration to whose Estate were granted by the Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate Jurisdiction, to the Undersigned, one of the Executors named in the Will of the Deceased, are hereby required to send in writing to the Undersigned, on or before the 31st day of OCTOBER, 1885, the full Particulars of their Claims or Demands.

And Notice is hereby also given that as soon as possible after the Expiration of the period above mentioned, the Undersigned will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Sir Harry Smith, deceased, and will not be liable for the Assets or any part thereof so distributed to any Person or Persons, of whose Claim or Claims he shall not have had Notice at the time of the distribution.

All Persons INDEBTED to the Estate are requested to make immediate Payment to the Undersigned.

Dated in Hongkong, the 18th day of July, 1885.

1208 W. KESWICK.

## NOTICE.

### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1. or more than \$250 are not received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not carry any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank is marked 'On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business' is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the  
HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, May 7, 1885. 764

**HONGKONG PHARMACY**  
28, LYNDHURST TERRACE.  
WOODFORD & Co.

**H. B. WOODFORD,**  
Medical Practitioner,  
28, LYNDHURST TERRACE.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1885. 1103

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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. 1071

## CLEARANCE SALE.

FOR ONE MONTH FROM 1ST JULY.

TO make room for our Autumn Arrivals and to obviate the necessity of holding over our present Stock next Summer, which always entails loss from deterioration, we have re-marked our Goods at such REDUCTION IN PRICE as, we think, will ensure the accomplishment of our purpose.

**PRICE LIST.**  
TAILORING.

Cricketing Flannel Coat and Pants	.....\$9.00 3 Suits	\$25.00	
White Serge	.....	\$25.00	
Blue	.....	\$25.00	
Thin Summer Tweed	.....	\$25.00	
Black and Blue Diagonal Saco Coat	.....	\$9.00	
Tweed Trousers	.....	\$4.00 to \$6.00	
Pajama Suits (Cotton)	.....	\$1.75 3 Suits	\$4.50
(All Wool)	.....	\$1.50	\$12.00
A lot of Tweed Suit lengths medium weights	.....	\$7.00	
Drill, Serge, Flannels, Tweeds, &c., by the yard or piece, &c., &c.	.....		

## OUT-FITTING.

Long Cloth Shirts, with and without Collars attached.....\$18.50 per Dozen.  
Merino finish Under Shirts Men's size.....\$ 5.25  
India Gauze Under Shirts at various and reduced prices.

Collette, Balbriggan, and Lisle Thread & Hose at various and reduced prices.  
Turkish Towels (white).....\$4.00 per Dozen and upwards according to size.  
Huckaback Towels.....\$3.50  
Bath Blankets.....\$3.40 per Pair.

largest size.....\$5.50  
Bathing Drawers.....\$0.50 and \$0.75  
A lot of Kid Shoes and hand made Buckram Shoes with Blue Cloth tops.....\$5.00  
Lot of Straw Hats.....\$1.00 Each.

wide brims.....\$1.25  
Calcutta Pith Sun Hats.....\$1.50  
&c., &c.

These Quotations are subject to a discount of 10 % for CASH.

**Robt. Lang & Co.,**  
QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1110

**W. POWELL & Co.**  
EX STEAMSHIP ANTENOR.

**LADIES' EVENING SHOES** with Beaded Toes, all sizes.  
**LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S**  
**WALKING SHOES.**

Uppers made of 'Pannusorium' (a soft and pliable material, particularly adapted for wear in this climate).

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VICTORIA EXCHANGE,  
Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1112

**Intimations.**

**CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**

THE Shareholders' Ordinary MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 10th Proximo, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th April 1st, and of electing a Dividend.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 28th Instant to the 10th Proximo, both days inclusive.

By Order,  
W. H. RAY,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 18, 1885. 1206

**CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co.,**  
Chromometer, Watch & Clock Makers,  
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**NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.**

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In a great variety.  
DIAMONDS  
& AND

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A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATENTERS, at very moderate prices. 743

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HAS LAUNCHED ON HAND STEAM LAUNCHES FOR HIRE. Charges as follows:—

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For first hour.....\$3.  
" second.....\$2.  
" every subsequent hour.....\$1.

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For first hour.....\$3.  
" second or subsequent hour.....\$2.

Rates for towing Vessels and Cargo-boats, or use of Launches for Excursions to Macao, Canton, or other places may be arranged at No. 23, WING WEE STREET.

Hongkong, June 13, 1885. 970

**NOTICE.**

THE MORNING STAR Steam Launch, is always available at half-an-hour's Notice for employment for Pious, or for towing Cargo Boats.

For further Particulars, apply to  
DORABJEE NOWROJEE,  
Victoria Hotel.  
Hongkong, July 7, 1885. 1151

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### WANTED.

THE ADVERTISER having a Comfortably FURNISHED RESIDENCE at Kowloon, would be glad to meet with a GENTLEMAN to live with him.

For Particulars, apply to  
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OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.

Hongkong, July 20, 1885. 1218

**THE HONGKONG HAIR DRESSING SALOON.**  
HONGKONG HOTEL BUILDINGS.

LADIES' HAIR DRESSING SALOON is attached to this Establishment, and LADIES are respectfully INVITED to give a TRIAL. Every satisfaction is guaranteed.

Hongkong, May 7, 1885. 756

**HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**

THE Thirty-Eighth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, on FRIDAY, the 31st Instant, at Three o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st Instant, inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
T. ARNOLD,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 11, 1885. 1171

**'HIRANO'**  
NATURAL MINERAL WATER.

Bottled at the Springs of Hirano, Province of Settsu, near Osaka, JAPAN.

BRIGHT Sparkling and Effervescent—Excellent alone or with WINE or SPIRITS. In Cases of 50 Pints.

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Hongkong, July 17, 1885. 1200

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2, DUDDELL STREET,  
(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)  
Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 66

**To Let.**

**TO LET.**  
(With Possession from 1st October, 1885.)  
HOUSE, No. 8, STANLEY STREET.  
No. 31, WINGKONG STREET.  
Gas and Water laid on.

For Particulars, apply to  
ROZARIO & Co.

Hongkong, July 22, 1885. 1235

**TO LET.**

OFFICES and CHAMBERS, No. 7, QUEEN'S ROAD, lately occupied by Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Apply to  
BIRD & PALMER,  
Who will exhibit Plans and arrange Offices to suit applicants.

Hongkong, April 8, 1885. 697

**TO LET.**

THE OFFICES, No. 54, QUEEN'S ROAD Central, at present in the occupation of the HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LIMITED.

Entry on or about 1st July, 1885.

Apply to  
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Hongkong, May 26, 1885. 851

**TO LET.**

'COLLEGE CHAMBERS' (late Hotel de l'UNIVERS), Single Rooms or SUITES of APARTMENTS.  
No. 4, Old Bailey Street.

Apply to  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.  
Hongkong, May 11, 1885. 770

**TO LET.**

A COMMODIOUS GODOWN with Approach, from PRAYA and QUEEN'S ROAD.

Apply to  
A. S. WATSON & Co.  
Hongkong Dispensary,  
2nd May, 1885. 727

**TO LET.**

'DEACONSFIELD ARCADE,'  
HOUSES, Nos. 1 and 2, 3 and 4, Facing Parade Ground.

BED ROOMS, and only ONE SHOP, No. 9.

Also,  
BED ROOMS in No. 18, 'BANK BUILDINGS.'

Apply to  
BEILIOS & Co.  
Hongkong, July 21, 1885. 1224

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION

JAPANESE PORCELAIN WARE AND CURIOS, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

**SATURDAY,**  
the 25th July, 1885, at 2 p.m., at his New Sales Room, Duddell Street,—

A VERY FINE SELECTION OF  
JAPANESE PORCELAINS  
AND CURIOS,

comprising:—  
SATSUMA, ONARI, KAGA and YEDO VASES, BOWLS, PLATES, TEA SETS, &c.; YEDO COPPER ENAMELLED JARS, VASES, PLATES, and other CURIOS.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.  
G. R. LAMBERT,  
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, July 22, 1885. 1236

## Shipping.

**Steamers.**

**STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.**

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship 'Mohi,'

will leave for the above place on FRIDAY, 24th Instant, at 3 p.m.

A. McIVER,  
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, July 17, 1885. 1201

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW (SHARP PEAK).**

The Co.'s Steamship 'Namon,'

Capt. WESTON, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 25th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LARPAK & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, July 21, 1885. 1221

**EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**FOR FOOCHEW (SHARP PEAK), DIRECT.**

The Steamship 'Guthrie,'

Captain DUNN, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 25th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 22, 1885. 1230

**FOR SHANGHAI.**

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENSIN, NEW-CHOWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Steamship 'Glenfinlas,'

Captain GUTHRIE, will be despatched as above on or about the 25th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, July 22, 1885. 1229

**SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.**

**FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL.**

(Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW YORK.)

The Steamship 'Plankin,'

Danvers, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 26th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 16, 1885. 1197

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**

**FOR SHANGHAI (DIRECT).**

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHOWANG, TIENSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship 'Hampden,'

Capt. WILKIN, will be despatched as above on or about the 27th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 21, 1885. 1220

**UNION LINE.**

**FOR YOKOHAMA, HIOGO AND NAGASAKI.**

The Steamship 'Harapure,'

Captain CHIE, due on or about the 27th Inst., will have immediate despatch for the above Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, July 21, 1885. 1226

**FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.**

The Steamship 'Dorothy,'

Captain GUTHRIE, will be despatched as above on or about the 1st Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 18, 1885. 1202

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